CHAPTER 73

THE INTERCEPTION OF THE 1ST ASSAULT FLEET

100 SIGHTS OF SIDONIA | No.56

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シドニアの騎士

NEWS!

『シドニアの騎士』が
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※docomoフィーチャーフォン、アンドロイド端末のみ対応。

TSUTOMU NIHEI 弐瓶 勉

THE CHIMERA KANATA!

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SFX: FSHOOH

SFX: BEEP BEEP

LEM

CONVERTER

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1ST ASSAULT FLEET

HIS TARGET IS OBVIOUS... THE CONVERTER.

KANATA

THERE'S ONLY ONE MEASURE WE CAN TAKE.

SFX: WHIR

WE'VE GOT COMPANY.

シドニアの騎士

START THE ANTI-KANATA OPERATION!!

SFX: BEEP-BOOP

DESTROY KANATA!

SFX: WHIR

SFX: DOOSH

ROGER!

1ST TO 6TH FLEETS, ATTACK KANATA!!

7TH TO 9TH FLEETS, COVER US WHILE PROTECTING THE GRAVITATIONAL BEAM EMITTER!!

SFX: KASHINK

SFX: SQUISH SQUISH

I DIDN'T EXPECT THAT. BUT IT'S RATHER CONVENIENT FOR ME. I DON'T HAVE TO CHASE YOU.

EHM... SO YOU CHOSE TO FIGHT ME?

SFX: WHOOM

SFX: DSH DSH / DSHOO / DSHDSH

ALL FLEETS, DEPLOY GUARDIANS!!

DON'T BE AFRAID!! HE CAN'T USE THE GRAVITA-TIONAL BEAM EMITTER EITHER!

JUST FOLLOW INSTRUC-TIONS!!

I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO WATCHING THE NEW ANIME SERIES "KNIGHTS OF SIDONIA: BATTLE FOR PLANET NINE".

SFX: VWWWSHHHH

SFX: BWOOM BWOOM BWOOM

OCHIAI... HOWEVER HE MIGHT HAVE CHANGED HIS SHAPE, HIS MIND SHOULD BE THE SAME AS A HUMAN'S.

SFX: KA-CHING

SFX: BSHOOM

SFX: GIII-BWOOSH

I KNEW NORMAL ATTACKS WOULD HAVE NO EFFECT ON THE MEGA-STRUCTURE.

SFX: RATTLE

SFX: VVOOM

SFX: BWOOM

!!

SFX: ZWWSH

SFX: VWWZ VWZ VWZ / WOOSH / RATTLE

AND HE'S FASTER AND MORE AGILE THAN I EXPECTED.

THIS IS GOING TO BE TRICKY...

THE ANTI-HIGGS COATING IS INEFFECTIVE!

WHAT A POWERFUL HIGGS PARTICLE CANNON!

SFX: BEEP BEEP / BWOOM / ROAR

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WE'RE SUSTAINING HEAVY LOSSES OF GUARDIAN UNITS!!

JUST ONE HIT AND I CAN...

NO MATTER HOW HARD THE ARMOR MIGHT BE, IF WE USE MIZUKI'S MAIN CANNON, WE CAN DESTROY THE PLACENTA BENEATH WITH THE IMPACT.

BUT MIDORIKAWA IS KOBAYASHI'S PROTEGE... WHAT IF SHE HAS SOMETHING UP HER SLEEVE? I THINK I SHOULD DESTROY MIZUKI FIRST.

YOU DON'T REALLY THINK YOU CAN HIT ME WITH THE HEAVY MASS DRIVER, DO YOU?

SFX: FWOOSH

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SFX: VWOM VWOOM

SFX: GIIIWOOM

SFX: BLAT BLAT BLAT BLAT

SFX: BWHOOM

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HE'S TARGETING THE MIZUKI!!

3RD FLEET IS HEAVILY DAMAGED!

SFX: KABLAT BLAT BLAT

SFX: VWSZHHHZVHHSHVSH

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4TH FLEET IS DESTRO-YED!

HEY!

DAMN IT!

I'M GONNA BREAK HIS ARMOR OPEN!!

BY A. BANANA

SFX: RUMBLE ROAR

SFX: KWOOOOOM

BECAUSE IF THE IMPACT IS STRONG ENOUGH THE INSIDES WILL BE DESTROYED!

MAINTAIN FORMATION!

JUST 'CAUSE OUR COCKPIT POOS GOT STRENGTHENED DOESN'T MEAN YOU SHOULD BE GOING FOR SLOPPY ATTACKS!

NOT DESTROYED

SFX: VWWM VWWM

SFX: SWOOM SWOOM

JUST HANG IN THERE! CHASE 'IM!!

SFX: SKREEE

SFX: BOOM

NO MATTER HOW POWERFUL HIS WEAPONS ARE, HE'S ONLY A SCIENTIST AFTER ALL.

YEAH, AND HE DOESN'T KNOW WE KNOW.

HE'S FAST, BUT HE'S BEEN REPEATING A SIMPLE FEINT.

SFX: SHOOM

SFX: GIIIOOM GIIIOOM / OSHOOOOM

SFX: CREAK

TO CHASE ME THIS PERSISTENTLY...

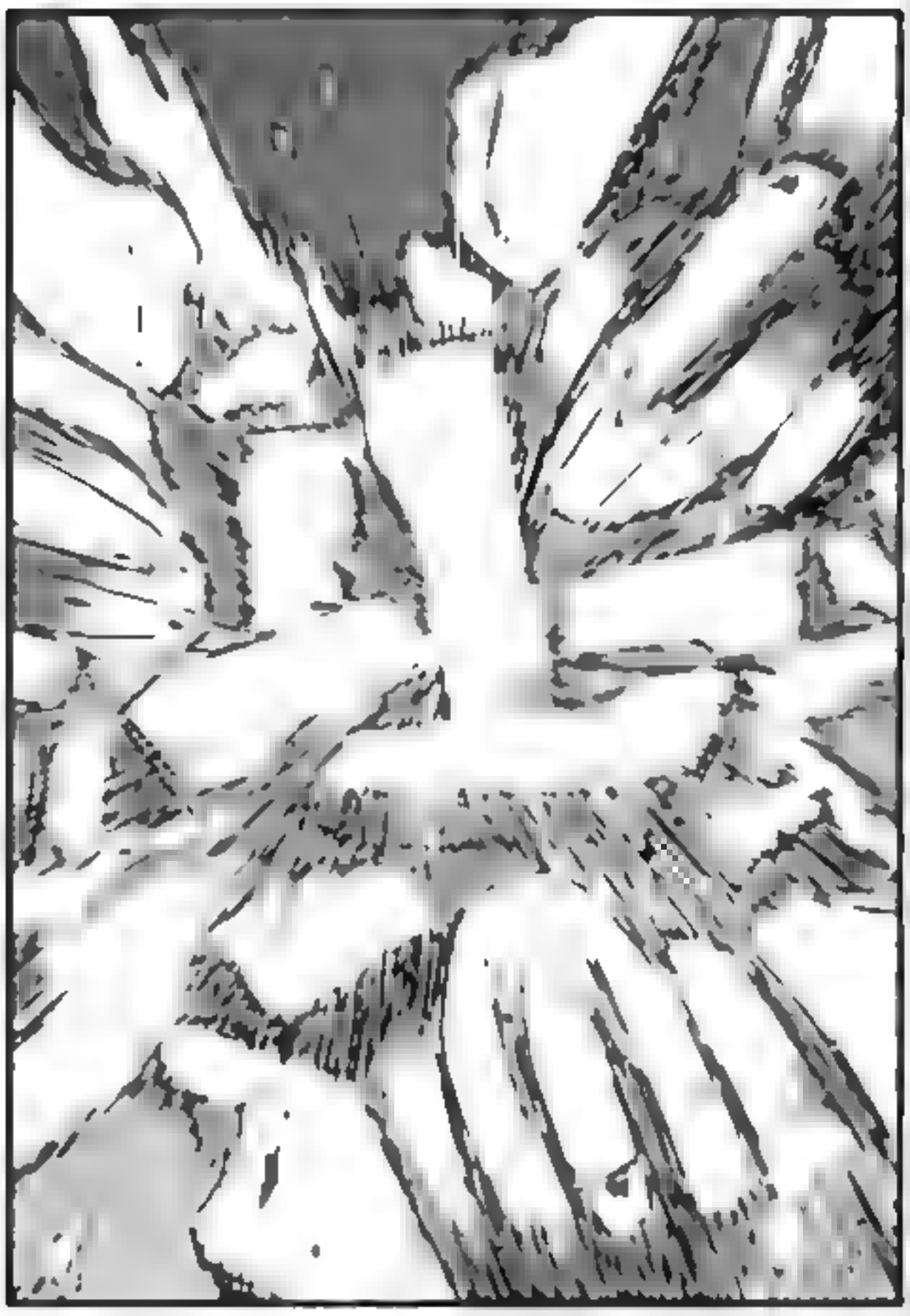
WHAT'S WRONG WITH THESE GUYS?

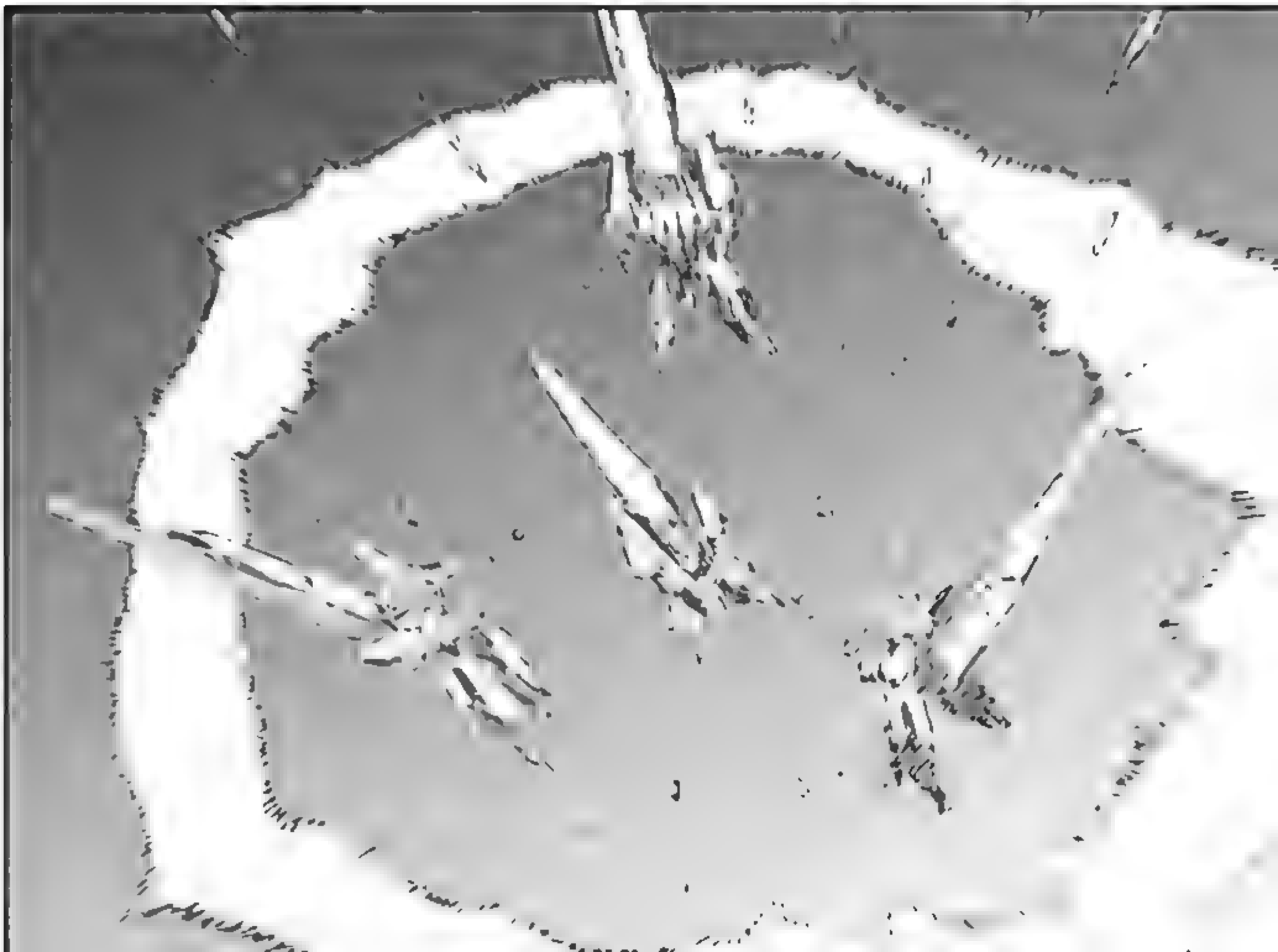
WE'LL BE SHOT DOWN IF WE GO RIGHT UNDER HIM!

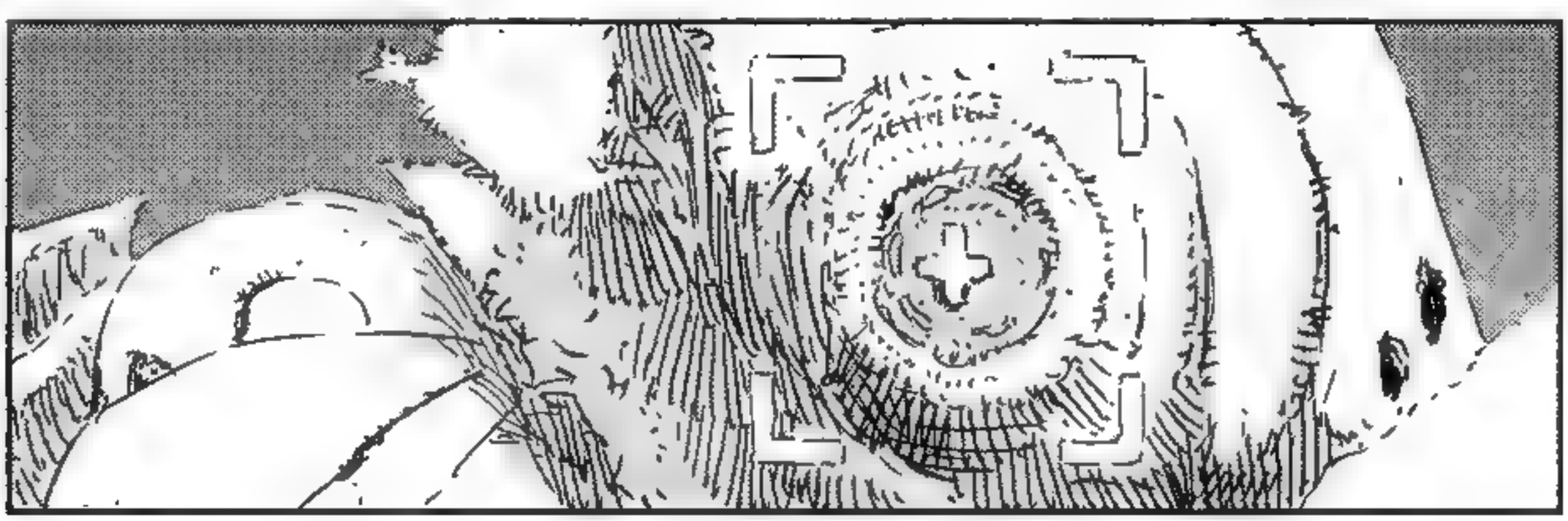
NO!

ROGER!

TEAM HONOKA 1, 3-1-UNIT CLASP FORMATION!







CLICK
GOT IT!

I HIT HIM!!

GOOD JOB! DON'T LET HIM ESCAPE!

...JUST A BIT MORE AND WE CAN CATCH HIM...

SEII! TSURU-UCHI!

THERE'S NO WAY HE CAN PLUCK HIM TO RECOVER !!

ROGER!!

SFX: FWAP

SFX: SNAP

SFX: SQUEEZE

SFX: TOSS

DAMN. HE TORE FREE EASILY.

!!

SFX: SMAK

SFX: SLAM

WE JUST HAVE TO IMMOBILIZE HIS LEFT ARM!

SPLAT

SFX: BWOOHM

SFX: VVOOOOOOO

WE CAN'T SUBDUE HIM!

SEII UNIT DESTROYED

HE CUT THE WIRE ON HIS LEFT ARM, THERE'S NO SPARE LEFT!

.....!

SEII!!

SFX: ROAR / GIIIOOOO

SFX: SKREEE / RATTLE

THE SAME TRICK WON'T WORK AGAIN. WE CAN'T LOSE THIS CHANCE!

IT'S TOO DANGEROUS! PULL BACK FOR NOW!

SFX: ROAR

SFX: GRAB / KA-CHAK

SFX: BASHOOM

I GOT YOU, BASTARD!!

BRATA TATATATA TATATA

SNAP

TSURUUCHI, WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

FIRE THE HEAVY MASS DRIVER!! NOW!!

HURRY!!

BY A DEMOOOOOOOOOO KNEE

TSURU-UCHI!!

CLICK

THE HEAVY MASS DRIVER HIT KANATA!!

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SEII UNIT DESTROYED

INJURIES MINOR

COCKPIT POD RECOVERY PRIORITY MEDIUM

TSURUOUCHI UNIT DESTROYED

LIFE SIGNS NA

COCKPIT POD RECOVERY PRIORITY MINIMUM

AFTER HIM!!

SFX: DSHOOOOO

I'M GOING TO DESTROY THE TRUE BODY BEFORE HE REGENERATES THE PLACENTA!

TSURU-UCHI

ROGER!!

SFX: BEEP BEEP BEEP

MASS UNION SHIPS!

THIS MANY... WHEN DID THEY APPEAR...!?

LEM

WE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT FIGHT THEM.

AND OUR PATH OF RETREAT IS BLOCKED WITH LEM.

...TOO MANY OF THEM...

SFX: ROAR

ALL MIZUKI AND GUARDIAN UNITS, ENTER CLOSE FORMATION!! WE'RE GOING TO DESTROY THE MASS UNION SHIPS ONE BY ONE!!

ROGER!

SFX: FWOOOOOMM

FOAMING DISINTEGRATION OF THREE MASS UNION SHIPS CONFIRMED!!

!?

SFX: GOOO

I-I MUST RESUPPLY HIGGS PARTICLES...

D-DAMN... NO WAY AM I GOING TO DIE...

!!!

THE CONVERTER... HURRY UP...

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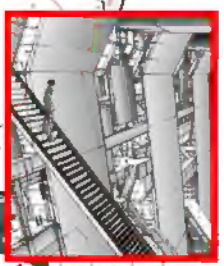

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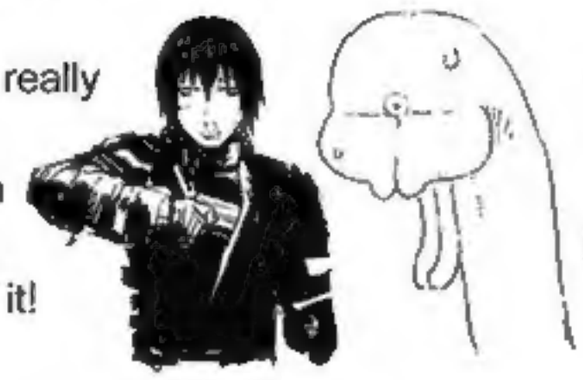
This is such a special collaboration!
This illustration is really rare!!
Knights of Sidonia TV anime is now on air. Don't miss it!



New edition of BLAME! has been published! It's a B5 large size. Coincidentally, it's gone on sale right as the TV anime series Knights of Sidonia: Battle for Planet Nine is on air! Incredible!! I drew Killy and Tsumugi in commemoration of this.
—Nihei Tsutomu

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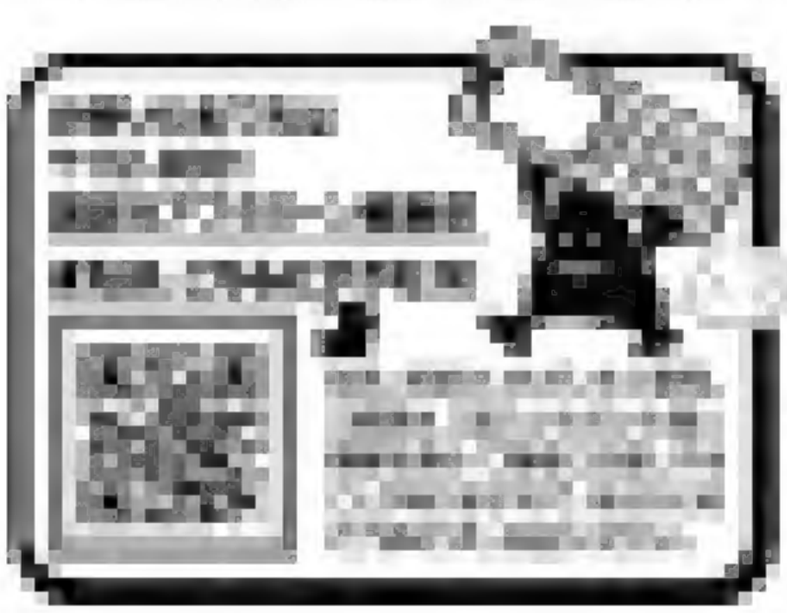

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